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## AT LONG BEACH

**Southern California Editor Have  
Delightful Outing at  
New Hotel.**

The Long Beach Chamber of Commerce and Hotel Virginia were hosts to the Southern California Editorial association Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The occasion was the annual meeting for election of officers. No other business came before the association except to have a good time and to accept an invitation from the various towns of Imperial Valley to visit the valley in October. The people of the valley agree to pay all expenses, including hotel bills.

But to return to Long Beach. They don't do things by halves down there. Every minute of the time was provided for with some sort of enjoyable entertainment. Everybody had a good time and saw things worth while.

Friday evening was spent on the Pike, the quill pushers going in a bunch to Bide-a-Wyle, the vaudeville theater, and other attractions. The vaudeville was unique, far different from the ordinary show. There was plenty of real fun, without a trace of smut.

Saturday morning those of the editors and their wives who were not afraid of getting seasick were taken on the launch Virginia to the big breakwater and San Pedro harbor. The immensity of the breakwater can hardly be conceived without a view at close range. In San Pedro harbor, aside from the usual collection of shipping, were some of the racers which start for Honolulu next Saturday.

Saturday afternoon brought the best feature of the outing, in the opinion of many. The party was taken aboard electric cars and to the Craig shipbuilding plant. Not much noise has been made about this concern, but it is destined to become one of the biggest industrial enterprises on the coast and a boon to Pacific commerce. Mr. Craig, who is an old shipbuilder from the great lakes, has about completed a plant which can undertake the erection of steel boats of any class up to 400 feet in length. The plant is a vast affair and will employ many hundreds of men. The immense lathes, planers, hydraulic hammers, cranes and other machinery were interesting in the extreme to the visitors.

After inspecting the ship factory the party were taken aboard a launch on the inner harbor, on the bank of which the shipyard is located. Without waiting for or asking government aid, citizens of Long Beach have gone about the work of making a land locked harbor of their own. A 21-foot channel with about six miles of water frontage is being dredged out of the swampy land at the old mouth of the San Gabriel river. This will be connected with the sea when completed, also with San Pedro harbor. The Salt Lake road

## LOOKS LIKE A REAL STREET

**Mountain Trail Avenue no Longer Like  
a Mountain Wash.**

Have you seen Mountain Trail avenue since the oil was put on it? If you have not, just make it a point to go over there when you are on your next jaunt around the city. The tamping is not completed. But you will get an idea of the extent of the improvement in appearance which will be wrought when all the work now under way is completed. The gravel has been spread over the upper portion of the avenue, making a better surface than the freshly oiled ground.

The cement gang has finished the curbing on the south side of Central avenue and is now working eastward on the north side of the avenue. The street in its present condition is not a thing of beauty, but wait.

is having built a draw bridge at the point on their line where the harbor channel is to be dredged through to the sea.

The monster dredging machinery which is digging the channel was inspected and the method of operation watched for a time. The channel is 150 feet wide and the dredge goes ahead at the rate of 50 feet a day. About 3,000 cubic yards, or 2,000 wagon loads of solid soil, are taken out every day and pumped through large pipes to the tract which is being filled in to make good manufacturing sites along the harbor. The 3,000 yards of soil comprise 15 per cent of the bulk of sand and water that are pumped by the dredge onto this tract, the soil settling and the water draining off. Long Beach will have its harbor before the much talked of government work at San Pedro is completed. A trip on the trolley to Alamitos Bay concluded the excursion features of the trip.

Returning from Alamitos Bay the association held a business meeting long enough to elect officers. J. J. Penny of Long Beach was elected president and Edgar Johnson of Fullerton was re-elected secretary.

If some of the old time monarchs who thought they knew something about palaces and luxury could see the Hotel Virginia they would probably conclude their education in that line had not progressed very far. Magnificence is a poor word to describe the luxury of the newest of the big hotels. But the place is not appalling, even to an editor, and it would be hard to conceive a more delightful place in which to stop. The Virginia is about as near perfection in hotel building as anything yet discovered in the experience of this editor, who has spent his summers regularly at the leading hotels of the country. Waking up and coming back to our story, the banquet given the editors Saturday evening by the Long Beach Chamber of Commerce at the Virginia was something great. The guests were filled to the absolute limit with good food and brilliant after-dinner talk. And then followed the ball. Many of the visitors remained under Manager Linnard's roof over Sunday, spending the day in the most luxurious idleness they had experienced for many blue moons.

## DON'T MISS THE CELEBRATION

**Saturday's Program Will be a Hummer—Interest is Keen—  
Band Will Play Morning and  
Afternoon.**

Are you ready for a good, old fashioned celebration of the Fourth of July? If not you will do well to get in line and be a boy again—or a girl. There will be something doing in Sierra Madre tomorrow, nearly all day. If you miss the fun it is your own fault.

The morning program of races and field events will begin at 9:30 sharp as announced last week. The races will take place on Grand View avenue, between Baldwin and Mountain Trail. The list of entries is given below. The events will be pulled off as fast as possible and should be completed by noon. You should have an appetite for your Fourth of July dinner by that time, whether you are a competitor or spectator.

The ball game for ladies and gentlemen in the afternoon will be pulled off on the public school grounds, unless a change in the present plan is found necessary. This will be one of the big events of the day.

Through the efforts of Messrs. Yerxa and Gottlieb, and contributions of themselves and others, it has been possible to secure a band from Pasadena. The band will play both morning and afternoon and will add that touch without which no Fourth of July celebration is complete.

Bechtelheimer's window has been the focal point of the eyes of all the boys in town for several days past. The explanation is easy when you see the array of prizes there which are to be awarded in the various events. All are articles of real value and usefulness and worth working for.

Contestants in the wheelbarrow race must provide their own wheelbarrows and have them on hand promptly at the start. Regulation wheelbarrows must be used. The number of entries will make it necessary to run two heats in this event and for this reason two events for the older and younger boys may be made of it.

Contestants in three-legged race must have partners selected before the races begin so no time will be lost in getting the race under way when the time comes.

The list of entries in the various events:

### BOYS OVER FOURTEEN YEARS.

100-yard Dash—Earl Krafft, Robert Merrell, Adolphus Kershaw, Leigh Smith, Frank Leon, Roydon Pool, Earl Littell, Eligio Leon.

Three Standing Jumps—Earl Littell, Frank Leon, Leigh Smith, Robert Merrell, Earl Krafft, Eligio Leon.

220-yard Run—Earl Krafft, Robert Merrell, Adolphus Kershaw, Leigh Smith, Frank Leon, Roydon Pool, Earl Littell, Eligio Leon.

Potato Race—Earl Littell, Roydon Pool, Frank Leon, Adolphus Kershaw,

Robert Merrell, Earl Krafft, Eligio Leon.

Three Legged Race—Earl Krafft, Robert Merrell, Adolphus Kershaw, Frank Leon, Roydon Pool, Eligio Leon.

Bicycle Race—Roydon Pool, Earl Krafft, Eligio Leon.

### BOYS FOURTEEN YEARS OR UNDER.

50-yard Dash—Gilbert Wright, Hall Perry, Dwight Thornburg, Ariel Hoegee, Paul Littell, Norman Olsen, Don Baxter, Marshall Wright, Roe McKinley, Victor Hill, Wm. Wright, George Norris, Robert Steinberger, Adelbert Morgan, Louis Foix, Harry Brownson, Harold Lockridge.

Running Broad Jump—Adelbert Morgan, Robert Steinberger, Robert Clark, Wm. Wright, Victor Hill, Roe McKinley, Marshall Wright, Don Baxter, Norman Olsen, Ariel Hoegee, Dwight Thornburg, Gilbert Wright, Harold Lockridge.

Potato Race—Gilbert Wright, Hall Perry, Dwight Thornburg, Guy Steinberger, Ariel Hoegee, Paul Littell, Harold Craig, Norman Olsen, Raymond Adelmyer, Don Baxter, Donald Graham, Roe McKinley, Victor Hill, Gaylord Burke, Wm. Wright, Robert Clark, George Norris, Robert Steinberger, Harold Lockridge, Orlando Drauga.

Three Legged Race—Adelbert Morgan, Robert Steinberger, George Norris, Wm. Wright, Victor Hill, Marshall Wright, Donald Graham, Don Baxter, Norman Olsen, Ariel Hoegee, Guy Steinberger, Dwight Thornburg, Gilbert Wright, Harold Lockridge.

Three Standing Jumps—Gilbert Wright, Dwight Thornburg, Ariel Hoegee, Norman Clark, Don Baxter, Marshall Wright, Roe McKinley, Victor Hill, Wm. Wright, Robert Steinberger, Adelbert Morgan, Harold Lockridge.

Bicycle Race—Robert Steinberger, Wm. Wright, Roe McKinley, Don Baxter, Norman Olsen, Ariel Hoegee, Harold Lockridge.

### OPEN TO ALL.

Obstacle Race—Wm. Wright, Robert Steinberger, Ariel Hoegee, Adolphus Hershaw, Frank Leon, Earl Littell, Roydon Pool, George Norris, Donald Graham, Dwight Thornburg, Hall Perry, Norman Olsen, Don Baxter, Roe McKinley, Guy Steinberger, Paul Littell, Earl Krafft, Robert Merrell, Eligio Leon, Harold Lockridge, Orlando Drauga.

Wheelbarrow Race—Robert Merrell, Earl Krafft, Harry Adelmyer, Paul Littell, Don Baxter, Norman Olsen, Dwight Thornburg, George Norris, Roydon Pool, Earl Littell, Frank Leon, Adolphus Kershaw, Ariel Hoegee, Robert Steinberger, Wm. Wright, Eligio Leon, Harold Lockridge.

Climbing Greased Pole—Wm. Wright, Ariel Hoegee, Frank Leon, Roydon Pool, Donald Graham, Dwight Thornburg, Norman Olsen, Don Baxter, Guy Steinberger, Gaylord Burke, Raymond Adelmyer, Earl Krafft, Gilbert Wright, Eligio Leon, Harold Lockridge.



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**ACCEPTS PRESIDENCY****Dr. W. S. Bovard Goes to Moore's Hill College as Its President.**

Dr. W. S. Bovard, son-in-law of Mrs. E. M. Tufts of this city, has accepted the presidency of Moore's Hill college in Indiana, the offer of which was mentioned in these columns last week. Dr. Bovard leaves his position at the head of the theological department of the University of Chattanooga in the face of the heartfelt protest of the trustees of the institution and an offer of advanced salary.

Moore's Hill college is one of the oldest Methodist colleges west of the Alleghanies. It has recently taken a new lease on life, erecting new buildings and pushing out along broader lines than ever before. The trustees were looking for a live, strong man to put at the head of affairs, and they got what they were after in Dr. Bovard. He is a brother of Dr. G. F. Bovard, president of the University of Southern California, and of Dr. F. D. Bovard, editor of the Pacific Christian Advocate. The Bovard family is without a parallel in the Methodist or any other denomination for the number of brothers who have reached high positions in the church. Dr. W. S. Bovard is the youngest, and many of his friends predict that he is destined to be the greatest of the brothers.

**Miss Rice Entertains.**

On Monday evening Miss Evelyn Rice delightfully entertained a number of friends at her home on Baldwin avenue. "Hearts" and music occupied the evening. Miss Henrietta Gifford and Mr. Paul Staples won the lady's and gentlemen's prizes, respectively, at "Hearts." Dainty refreshments were served and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

**Roman Catholic Services.**

From now on, Rev. Father Barth will conduct Roman Catholic services each Sunday morning at eight o'clock in his cottage on Lima street between Central and Grandin avenues.

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## Brief Items of Interest

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Wherry,  
Saturday, June 27, a son.

Mr. Lewis Newcomb has returned  
from a trip to Pine Flats,

R. A. Vale came up from Long Beach  
Monday, remaining a couple of days.

Mrs. M. B. Brownson and the children  
went to the mountains last Friday for  
a week's outing.

Judge J. A. Madden has moved his  
lares and penates to the Rice cottage on  
Baldwin avenue, near Carter.

Mr. George F. Ross of Imperial visi-  
ted his brother, Wm. G. Ross of the  
News force last Friday night.

Mrs. L. Wagoner and family of Long  
Beach are recent arrivals and are occu-  
pying the Peterson cottage on Suffolk  
avenue.

Mrs. Fernbaugh, accompanied by  
Lucile and George Whitworth, left  
Tuesday for Terminal Island for a visit  
of a week or more.

Mrs. O. C. Dranga of San Diego  
visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs.  
E. M. Tufts, while on her way home  
from Caliente, Nev.

Next Sunday, July 5, will be the last  
receiving day on which Mrs. Borglum's  
studio will be open to visitors until  
the first Sunday in October.

Mrs. G. S. Barnes and daughter, Miss  
Edna Barnes, of Ventura, have taken  
rooms in Mrs. Costello's house on High-  
land avenue between Lima and Adams  
streets.

The Schuman club composed of mem-  
bers of Mrs. Laura Stevenson's musical  
class gave a most interesting recital at  
the home of Miss Marie Adelmeyer on  
Saturday.

Mr. R. H. Hudson tried the Redondo  
climate for a few days early in the week  
but concluded Sierra Madre was far  
better than a place where the sun does  
not shine till the middle of the after-  
noon.

In order to protect the trees in the  
street opposite the Pacific Electric  
station Mr. Kersting has found it neces-  
sary to label them as private property  
and prohibit the hitching of horses  
there.

Mrs. C. H. Baker and Miss Charline  
Baker attended the musical recital  
given by pupils of Miss Lilly Link  
Brannan at Chickering Hall of the  
Southern California Music company,  
Los Angeles, on Tuesday. Miss Baker  
contributed to the program.

The club house now under construc-  
tion at Pine Flats is nearing completion  
and will be ready for occupancy at the  
opening of the hunting season. Those  
having an interest in the club house  
are: Messrs. Lewis Newcomb, Tom and  
Ike Cooper, Will Bacon, and Voil  
Stephens.

A society item which was handed in  
for last week's News regarding a bridge  
whist party given by Mrs. E. G. Howard  
of Baldwin avenue was partially in  
error and a correction is gladly made.  
The affair was in honor of Mrs. Lewis  
C. Carlyle of Los Angeles. To the list  
of guests given should be added the  
names of Mesdames Coles of San Fran-  
cisco, Yerxa and Cabot Yerxa.

E. H. Martin of Long Beach was in  
the city on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Keys spent yes-  
terday at Long Beach and San Pedro.

Miss M. C. Darrow of Long Beach is  
guest of Mrs. Singleton of Lima street.

Miss Mildred Crouch of Los Angeles  
is visiting her friend, Miss Lenore  
Morgan.

Miss Belle Harrison of Los Angeles  
has rented one of the Smith cottages on  
Wilden street.

Miss Charline Baker joined a house  
party on Friday given by Miss Florence  
Johnstone at Hermosa Beach.

Mr. E. Waldo Ward is home for a  
visit with his young son, Edwin, and  
the family of his brother, Mr. Irving  
Ward.

Orlando Dranga leaves soon for his  
home in San Diego, after spending the  
spring and early summer with his  
grandmother, Mrs. E. M. Tufts.

Mr. Ralph J. Lord is expected to ar-  
rive today for a three months vacation  
at home. He has been engaged on the  
Los Angeles aqueduct enterprise.

Van Graham is contemplating a busi-  
ness prospecting trip northward in the  
near future. An expedition eastward  
may also be included in the journey.

Miss Henrietta Gifford left yesterday  
for San Francisco. She will spend her  
summer vacation there before taking up  
her school work at San Bernardino in  
September.

Mrs. C. E. Bentham entertained most  
delightfully at whist on Tuesday after-  
noon the incoming board of directors  
of the Woman's Club, and a few other  
invited guests.

Up to last week about fifteen hundred  
carloads of cantaloupes had been  
shipped from the Imperial Valley for  
the season. It was estimated that about  
half the crop had reached the packing  
sheds at that time.

Miss M. C. Brandt entertained at din-  
ner on Monday in celebration of Miss  
Irene Heffler's birthday anniversary.  
Besides the guests of honor, those pres-  
ent were Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, Mrs.  
Dowd and Miss Gardner.

Messrs. George Burrell, Robert Mit-  
chell, J. C. Ragsdale, W. S. Andrews, R.  
J. Stuke, R. G. Emmerson, E. N. Mead  
and A. S. Mead spent a day at Oro  
Grande last week inspecting the quar-  
ries and property of the Golden State  
Portland Cement Co., at that place.

From next Sunday until "Rally Day,"  
which comes early in the fall, the  
evening preaching service in the  
Congregational church will be dis-  
continued. The Christian Endeavor  
service will take its place, meeting at  
the usual hour of the evening service,  
7:30 o'clock.

Graded work in Bible study was  
introduced in the Congregational Sun-  
day School last Sunday. This involves  
the grading of all members of the  
school with examinations as a requisite  
for promotion. The new system will  
do away with the hit and miss plan of  
conducting Sunday School work and  
should result in more thorough know-  
ledge of the Bible.

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## STILL ALIVE.

Vivisection, decapitation and horse-whipping are among the milder forms of punishment suggested for the editor because of the article in last week's News regarding the removal of two or three trees on Central avenue. The fact that he left for Long Beach to join the Southern California editors on their outing as soon as the paper was off the press is probably all that saved him from the various fates mentioned.

However, he has seen no reason so far for changing his mind on the subject. He also reiterates the statement that he is as true a tree lover as any member of the Park Commission or anyone else, but regards human life and safety as more valuable than any trees.

It has been suggested that a curb or fence built around the trees would minimize the danger by making collisions less likely and removing the temptation to drive between the trees and the track. But it is said there are no funds for this purpose. Perhaps after the city has settled one or two damage suits it will filter through some one's head that it would have been more economical to have stretched a point and provided funds in some way for the purpose when the street work was done.

## THE SEWER QUESTION

The city trustees of El Centro have made a contract for the installation of a sewer system with complete plant for the disposal of refuse. The cost of the work will be about \$50,000. A septic tank for bacterial treatment of sewage will be used, and a farm will be purchased for the disposal of the matter which has passed through the tank.

A public sewage system is a problem that this city must face sooner or later. Monrovia is about to grapple with it.

With increasing size the need becomes more acute in every community. Time was when a running stream or large body of water was thought to afford the only means of disposal of sewage. This is no longer regarded as necessary and is probably not the best system for cities which are not too large to use the septic tank to good advantage. The problem should not be an especially difficult one for this city when the time comes to take it up.

## Come Out Of It.

Class in elementary principles of the Republican party will please take the floor. How many have read the entire party platform adopted at the Chicago convention? Hands up. What, not one read it through? Well, then, what does the platform say on the subject of tariff revision and how is it to be accomplished? Don't know? Well this looks bad. Perhaps some member of the class can tell what you are going to vote for on the financial question. You republican banker down there at the end of the line—explain the meaning of the plank on that subject. What? Haven't had time to study it yet! Why, the platform has been published more than a week. Don't say you haven't had time. Just admit you don't take enough interest in your party and your country to find out what issues are really before the people and what you are voting for. You're a pretty bum class and the only thing that saves you is the fact that the other fellow falls down at the same point. The bosses'll git yer ef ye don't watch out.

Wake up. It's no wonder the bosses find it so easy running things when the average voter doesn't take enough interest in politics to read his own party platform, let alone the other one.

Highland Park Herald—The Herald has received a beautiful booklet illustrative of the charms of Sierra Madre, the gem of the foothills, from W. S. Andrews, a member of the board of directors of the Sierra Madre Board of Trade.

## "Naturally"

El Monte Gazette—El Monte was for many years considered a typical frontier town, with five saloons and one church but no regular paid minister. Today it has five good churches, well attended, with five resident paid pastors. The better element is in control now and the saloon element is gone forever.

El Monte has no saloons nor whiskey clubs, and never will have again. It is having a healthy, prosperous growth. Prosperity is on every hand. There is more being done in the three years without the saloon than in the fifty years when the saloon was in undisputed sway. All lines of business are rapidly advancing. There are many openings as the town grows. Real estate and ranch homes are eagerly sought.

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# 4th July

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#### CHURCH NOTICES.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—  
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The Ladies' Aid Society holds its business meetings on the first Tuesday of every month, at 3 p. m. Afternoon socials on the second and fourth Tuesdays, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

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### PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILWAY

Leave Los Angeles		Leave Sierra Madre	
6:05 a. m.	12:05 p. m.	6:10 a. m.	12:10 p. m.
6:25 " "	1:05 " "	7:00 " "	1:10 " "
6:25* " "	1:25* " "	7:42* " "	2:10 " "
7:00 " "	2:05 " "	8:10 " "	2:42* " "
7:25 " "	3:05 " "	8:42 " "	3:10 " "
8:05 " "	4:05 " "	9:30 " "	4:10 " "
9:05 " "	5:05 " "	10:10 " "	5:10 " "
10:05 " "	6:05 " "	11:10 " "	6:10 " "
11:05 " "	8:05 " "		7:00 " "
	11:30 " "		10:00 " "

\*Combination express and passenger service.

### SANTA FE ROUTE

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Arrive from Los Angeles and Leave for East:  
8:14 a. m. Overland | 5:12 p. m. Local  
9:11 a. m. Local | 8:44 p. m. Overland  
10:38 a. m. Limited

Arrive from East and Leave for Los Angeles:  
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Gottlieb, C. J. Fox, J. W. Keys, F. R.  
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Cabot Yerxa, J. H. Wright, J. A. Mad-  
den.

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shoes, sizes from 12 to 3 at 75 cents per  
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The program included a short address by Rev. Dr. Campbell. Laurel Steinberger appeared in the role of class prophet, and Carter Camp as class critic. Isabel Wagoner read the class will. All parts were cleverly taken. The diplomas were awarded by Prof. Coates.

The members of the graduating class were as follows: Marguerite Anderson, Fred Clark, Merton Clark, Grace McKinley, Roydon Pool, Earl Smith, Carter Camp, Isabel Wagoner, Garnet Williams, Signa Olsen, Frank Leon, Olga Olsen, Fred Hinton, Laurel Steinberger, Lucy Sweat, Janet Stevenson, Reece Stewart completed the work with the class as far as May, when he went to Phoenix, Arizona, where he took his tests and was awarded a diploma.

**Campmeeting in Canyon.**

The Pentecostal association of Southern California is holding campmeeting in Carter's Canyon. A large number of people are camping in the canyon and others coming out on the cars swell the attendance at the services to considerable proportions. Services are held morning, afternoon and evening.

Watch Jumbo, the large elephant balloon. It will go up on the 4th of July evening from the roof of the O. K. Cash Department store. Attached to it will be a card which will entitle the bearer to any one piece of our jewelry, up to \$5 in value. Find the card and bring it to us and receive the handsome reward. We will also send up skyrockets in the evening and every one will have a card attached which will be worth handsome prizes if returned to us. Oswald Kehlet, proprietor.

**At the Library.**

The following books from the "Book-lovers' Library" have been recently added to our library shelves, and have met with appreciation by library patrons. They were among the best sellers the past two months.

Major Vigoureux.  
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**After Church**

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**BRIEF ITEMS  
OF INTEREST**

Charles Morrison made a business trip to Ontario Tuesday.

Miss Mabel Lufkin left Tuesday for a pleasure trip to the Yosemite valley.

Miss Hazel Hill went to Alhambra yesterday for a visit of a couple of days.

Mr. Harry Staples of Oxnard was down over Sunday visiting his mother here.

Mrs. Eleanor Woodger was the guest of Mrs. Mary Emmons at Florencita Park the past week.

Miss Jennie Cook of Long Beach spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kersting.

Miss Lenore Morgan entertained the members of Las-Averillas quartet at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Lufkin and family of Hotel street who spent the past winter here leave this week for Los Angeles.

The Modern Priscillas met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Tasker Webster. The meeting was the last of the season.

Mrs. Belle Skinner and family of Los Angeles have rented through the Mead agency the Harriman cottage on east Central avenue.

Leigh Smith leaves his position with the O. K. Cash Department store at the end of the present week. He will be succeeded by Adolpus Kershaw.

Miss Harriet Rice, supervisor of music in the Pasadena schools, and Miss Grace Sterrett of San Francisco have been guests at the A. A. Rice home this week.

Miss Emma Driffel, who has been visiting Miss Edna Staples, leaves soon for her home at Oxnard. She will be accompanied by Miss Staples who will spend the summer there.

Miss Winnifred Burnett of Hartford, Connecticut, was the guest the past week of her relative, Mr. M. W. Sturtevant, and joined a pleasure party to the West Fork, returning Tuesday.

Charles J. Fox is enjoying the sun parlor effect in his automobile these days. Within the week he has had a new glass front put on, reducing the annoyance of dust and wind materially.

On Tuesday next the boys of the order of Scouts of the Congregational Sunday school will go on a camping trip in the West Fork. Messrs. A. S. Mead and Leigh Smith will be in command of the expedition.

Frank Hart has been amusing himself at home this week while nursing a mild attack of the mumps, which has become a fashionable malady among the employes of the Southern California Music company, in Los Angeles.

Mr. M. Campbell, has begun work on a \$3,000 home at the corner of Auburn and Highland avenues. Mr. W. J. Lawless will soon have under way the construction of an \$8,000 residence at the corner of Central and Sunnyside avenues.

A. S. Mead reports the sale of the west 50 feet of lot 29, Ocean View tract to Prof. H. H. McClutchan of Long Beach, who will build. The sale was made for Evarts and Martin of Long Beach. Mr. Mead has also rented one of the Smith cottages on Wilden street to Miss Belle Harrison of Los Angeles.

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### Did It Jar You?

Feel the quake this morning about five o'clock? The editor didn't, but his watch stopped at that hour. However, several men have agreed pretty closely on the time and described their varying sensations. M. H. Bridle declares the house swayed east and west. Mayor Jones thought he was riding a merry-go-round and that the thing went in all directions. J. W. Keys did not feel it but thought when his wife awakened him to tell him about it that it was merely her excuse to get him to go out and shovel the snow off the walks. Old Mother earth was probably getting herself adjusted and in proper equilibrium for the jars of the cannon crackers tomorrow. It was not much of a shiver and only lasted a few seconds.

P. S.—Since the above was put in type A. S. Mead appeared and declared the oscillation was from east to west because the milk in the pantry splattered on the east and west walls. J. A. Madden delivered a judicial opinion to the effect that things went up and down.

No damage is reported as a result of the quake but a number of men hurried down town immediately to see if the lost curb line along the north side of Central avenue east of Auburn had been shaken into place. They were still searching at the hour of going to press.

### Ladies and Gentlemen.

Don't forget we put rubber heels free of charge on shoes bought of us. M. Olsen, the shoe man.

### Recreation for July

In the leading article in Recreation for July Day Allen Willey tells of the "Guardians of Our Forests," the forest rangers. The author takes up the subject of forestry and the work of the government in preserving existing forests, which is most interesting to the people along the border of the San Gabriel reserve. The life of the rangers is not easy, the responsibilities are heavy and the remuneration not great, yet the work is a real service to the entire country. H. W. Frohne contributes the second of his series of articles on "Recreation Houses." In this number he deals with the selection of a site and formulating the requirements of the bungalow so as to get the maximum of advantages with the minimum of drawbacks. Young Jay Gould, the phenomenal court tennis player is the subject of an interesting sketch by W. S. Quigley. There is much speculation just now as to how Gould will make out in the Olympic contests where he will meet the cracks of the world. There are the usual number of attractive illustrations of outdoor life and sports of various kinds.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Martin have departed on an extended tour of the Yosemite Valley.

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The after meeting at 11 o'clock set forth Jesus Christ as the divine teacher of sickness and disease, as well as the forgiver of sins.

### In the Hot Weather

ladies don't tire yourselves out cooking at home. Take your meals at Hotel Shirley.

The editor of the News has received a post card from Mr. John G. Blumer which embodies an excellent advertising scheme for a community. On the back of the card is a map of the vicinity of Cambridge, England, showing railways and the general contour of the land, as well as nearby towns. In one corner is a halftone cut of one of the college buildings at the university.

We do no delivering on the 4th of July and will be closed from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. O. K. Cash Department store.

In the rush of getting away to Long Beach last week the editor forgot a very important social item, which was omitted from last week's News. His apologies are due Mrs. I. N. Ward and the others who had in charge the picnic of the preceding Saturday in Eaton's canyon. The event was one of the most enjoyable social affairs of the season, everyone going for a good time, and it is not recorded that any were disappointed. The hayrack ride, the romps in the canyon and the generous provision that had been made to satisfy the large appetites that were the natural consequence, all combined to make the picnic a great success.

Try Daugherty's Saratoga chips.

### Luncheon and Reunion

Mrs. E. G. Howard entertained with a luncheon on Saturday in honor of Miss Pearl Powers of Los Angeles. The affair took the form of a reunion of a number of young ladies who had been abroad, most of them members of the same party. Much pleasure was found in recalling incidents of the tour and scenes visited. Those present, aside from the hostess and guest of honor, were Mrs. Roth Hamilton, Miss Elizabeth Whitcomb of Glendora, Miss Helen Plimpton of Riverside and Miss Bessie Powers of Los Angeles.

### A Fish Dinner.

served every Friday in the dining room of the Hotel Shirley, 6 to 9 p. m.

Dr. F. C. S. Saunders is whiling away his time in the county jail at present, being unable to raise \$5,000 bail. He has been bound over to the superior court for trial on the forgery charges, the insanity proceedings having been dropped.

Buy your fireworks and flags where you get the best quality for the least money. The O. K. Cash Department store is the place. There you will find the largest assortment.

Mesdames Day and Hanson, wives of prominent Spokane bankers, were guests for a day at Mrs. Borglum's studio last week. Later Mrs. Borglum was their guest at dinner at the "Del Sal" in Los Angeles. The ladies have purchased several of Mrs. Borglum's landscapes, with promises of other sales in Spokane later.

Most of the older residents will remember the late Edward Partridge who resided on Auburn avenue and later removed to Redlands where he died. The father, Edward Partridge Sr., also resided here for a time and passed away after leaving here. The dispatches told of the death in the recent Santa Fe wreck at Winslow of Charles Partridge of Redlands, who was a brother and son, respectively, of these two men.

Mr. Benjamin Kirkwood who has spent some time in Sierra Madre in quest of health, passed away early this week at the Monrovia sanatorium. He leaves a wife and little daughter, who remain in Sierra Madre for the present. Mr. Kirkwood was an engraver and had been engaged in his profession at San Francisco before coming here. He formerly lived at Edinburg, Scotland, where his father was at the head of one of the most prominent engraving houses in the country. He was about 30 years of age.